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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : BOUTIN, Charles R.J.
Serial No. : 10/729,290
For : TAPE MACHINE AND WIPER
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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, a two-month extension of the period for reply, i.e., up to and including April 28, 2005, is respectfully requested. A check in the amount of USD\$225.00 (small entity) in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed.